IN THE UNITED STATES FARENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Lawrence M. Ausubel et a

Serial No.: 09/740,930

Filed: December 21, 2000

For: System and Method for the

Efficient Clearing of Spectrum

Encumbrances

Art Unit: 2161

Examiner:

Atty Docket: 21736/0011

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136 AND FEE PAYMENT AUTHORIZATION UNDER 37 CFR § 1.17

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR §§ 1.17, 1.136, applicant(s) hereby petition(s) for an extension of time as follows:

One-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ____ (\$110.00 fee)

XXX Two-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated August 22, 2001 (\$195.00 fee – Small Entity)

__ Three-month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated ____ (\$890.00 fee)

XXX Our check in the above-indicated amount is enclosed. If extensions of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to allow consideration of papers accompanying this Petition, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned. The Director is hereby authorized to charge fee deficiency under 37 CFR §§ 1.16 or 1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 22–0185. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

Date: August 27, 2001

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